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## Dear Sir:

I would like to have this added to the Eagle Lake Basin Plan Agenda for further consideration. The Following properties were "subdivided" off an original parcel of 40 acres starting in about 1958 or so. There are 5 properties. There are as follows:

APN # 089-020-18-11. Betty Braun owner; Parcel; 493-690 Eagle Lake Rd. 7.5 acres 089-020-15-11. Suzanne Braun Frost, owner; and Raymond Braun 493-680 Eagle Lake Rd (corner) 7.5 acres 089-020-12-11 Suzanne Braun Frost, Owner; 493-550 Eagle Lake Rd. 7.5 acres 089-020-11-11 Steven G. Braun; owner, physical address unknown. 7.5 acres and 089-020-04-11 Evelyn Cervanek, (et al) physical address unknown. 5 acres.

We would like the Water Board to "reconsider" AND RECIND for only these properties the moritorium on "no build" since none of them are 20 acres or more. These properties are essentially worthless as they are now, and thus restricting further, will continue to be detetrimental to the owners, as NO ONE wants to buy them, yet the property taxes continue to go up, and some have even been dramatically increased by the Lassen County TAX office not taking into account they are not buildable. Reassessing their value with land that is "buildable elsewhere in Lassen County; and some that is greater than 50 miles away. These are an extreme burden and extremely cumbersome process for anyone who would wish to to purchase or build a home on them as they sit now. Not mentioning the added expense to please every agency for a permit for septic, well, and building permits And have for the past 30 plus years. I understand the need for building permits. I understand the need for permits to do wells and septics also. Last year I contacted an engineer (the one who actually did the plan for the Spalding holding ponds) and the cost would be \$30,000.00 for each parcel and No guarantee on acceptance to the Lahontan Water Board."

The Elevation of these Properties is above the 5130 elevation and actual is 5138 ft of elevation.

I am asking for these 5 parcels to be considered as buildable. Whereas a Family dwelling and a guest home could be build on each parcel. I am not asking for further subdivision. Case in Point in 1998, 85 acres subdivided into I think 30 lots for homes. Now called "Castle Estates"; near the Stones Landing.

I am asking for some common sense to be present in the reconsideration of these parcel to be buildable. These parcels were dividied in about 1958 and up to maybe 1970 or 1971. These are only 5 parcels in the entire Eagle Lake Basin. And I ask that it be done sooner rather than later, as one owner is 90 years old, and the rest of us are all over 60 years old. A couple of us may like to build as we have been heirs, and have been then since 1956, and the others may want to sell. Right now it worthless as 7.5 acres.

If you have any questions, Please feel free to call me. or email me. 530-816-0558; email: <a href="mailto:suzybraun2001@yahoo.com">suzybraun2001@yahoo.com</a>.

Thank you for reading this, and Please present this to the Board, as since I work, I am unable to attend the Lake Tahoe meeting, The Barstow meeting is too far to drive, and again, I work and unable to attend.

Sincerely, Suzanne Braun Frost